



Disney
**HIGH
SCHOOL
MUSICAL**

Sing It!



⚠ WARNING: PHOTOSENSITIVITY/EPILEPSY/SEIZURES

READ BEFORE USING YOUR PLAYSTATION®2 COMPUTER ENTERTAINMENT SYSTEM.

A very small percentage of individuals may experience epileptic seizures or blackouts when exposed to certain light patterns or flashing lights. Exposure to certain patterns or backgrounds on a television screen or when playing video games may trigger epileptic seizures or blackouts in these individuals. These conditions may trigger previously undetected epileptic symptoms or seizures in persons who have no history of prior seizures or epilepsy. If you, or anyone in your family, has an epileptic condition or has had seizures of any kind, consult your physician before playing. IMMEDIATELY DISCONTINUE use and consult your physician before resuming gameplay if you or your child experience any of the following health problems or symptoms:

- dizziness
- altered vision
- eye or muscle twitches
- loss of awareness
- disorientation
- seizures
- any involuntary movement or convulsion

RESUME GAMEPLAY ONLY ON APPROVAL OF YOUR PHYSICIAN.

Use and handling of video games to reduce the likelihood of a seizure

- Use in a well-lit area and keep as far away as possible from the television screen.
- Avoid large screen televisions. Use the smallest television screen available.
- Avoid prolonged use of the PlayStation 2 system.
Take a 15-minute break during each hour of play.
- Avoid playing when you are tired or need sleep.

Stop using the system immediately if you experience any of the following symptoms: lightheadedness, nausea, or a sensation similar to motion sickness; discomfort or pain in the eyes, ears, hands, arms, or any other part of the body. If the condition persists, consult a doctor.

WARNING TO OWNERS OF PROJECTION TELEVISIONS:

Do not connect your PlayStation 2 system to a projection TV without first consulting the user manual for your projection TV, unless it is of the LCD type. Otherwise, it may permanently damage your TV screen.

HANDLING YOUR PLAYSTATION 2 FORMAT DISC:

- This disc is intended for use only with PlayStation 2 consoles with the NTSC U/C designation.
- Do not bend it, crush it or submerge it in liquids.
- Do not leave it in direct sunlight or near a radiator or other source of heat.
- Be sure to take an occasional rest break during extended play.
- Keep this compact disc clean. Always hold the disc by the edges and keep it in its protective case when not in use. Clean the disc with a lint-free, soft, dry cloth, wiping in straight lines from center to outer edge. Never use solvents or abrasive cleaners.

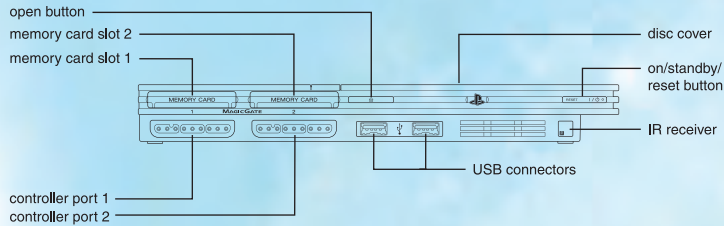


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Getting Started



Set up your PlayStation®2 computer entertainment system according to the instructions supplied with your system. Check that the system is turned on (the on/standby indicator is green). Insert the **Disney High School Musical: Sing It!** disc in the system with the label side facing up. Attach game controllers and other peripherals as appropriate. Follow the on-screen instructions and refer to this manual for information on using the software.

Memory Card (8MB)(for PlayStation®2)

To save game settings and progress, insert a memory card (8MB)(for PlayStation®2) into MEMORY CARD slot I of your PlayStation®2 system. You can load saved game data from the same memory card or any memory card (8MB)(for PlayStation®2) containing previously saved games.

Starting Up

DUALSHOCK®2 ANALOG CONTROLLER CONFIGURATIONS



MENU CONTROLS

- Directional buttons ↑/↓/←/→
- ⊗ button
- △ button

Highlight menu options
Select / Confirm
Return to previous screen

GAME CONTROLS

- Directional buttons ←/→
- L1 button
- R1 button
- L2 button
- R2 button
- START button

Instrument Select
Sound EFX
Sound EFX
Sound EFX
Sound EFX
Pause Menu

USING THE MICROPHONE



MICROPHONE CONNECTION

Connecting a compatible microphone to your PlayStation®2 computer entertainment system is a snap.

1. Make sure the power is switched OFF.
2. Attach your microphone's USB connector to one of the USB connections on the front of your PS2.
3. Turn the power ON.
4. Load **Disney High School Musical: Sing It!**
5. Sing!

The microphone must be plugged in at all times while playing the game. Visit Options (look in Extras) to adjust your microphone's sensitivity.



Join the East High Drama Club!

Troy and Gabriella may have been afraid to sing in front of their friends and family. And their friends at East High School may have wanted the budding singers to give up their musical dreams and to *stick to the status quo*. But with **Disney High School Musical: Sing It!** there's nothing to fear. Nothing's stopping you from taking the stage and truly *breaking free*. It's your best chance to join the East High Drama Club and show everybody what you've got.



Even better, **Disney High School Musical: Sing It!** features a unique duet karaoke system so you and a friend can perform together. Together you can sing your way through the story of the original *High School Musical* movie as soloists or as a talented duet. With over twenty songs from both *High School Musical* movies plus bonus songs – you'll have plenty of hits to host a karaoke party for seven of your friends.

So, take a moment to review these instructions then get out there and show them what you've got!

Main Menu



QUICK PLAY

Play any of the songs that you have already unlocked. No muss, no fuss. Just pick a profile, a song and a stage and get up there and sing!

STORY MODE

It's the *start of something new*. Sing along with Gabriella, Troy, Sharpay, Ryan and the rest of the East High Drama Club as you *ride that rhythm* all the way through the story of the Disney Channel Original Movie, *High School Musical*.

PARTY MODE

Invite up to seven of your friends over and find out who has the best voice – or just get together to create wonderful music in duets and solo performances.

EXTRAS

So maybe there aren't any songs here, but in Extras you can set game Options such as Auto Save or Sound, check your Progress through the game's unlockables, see the Credits to find out who made the game, and much more! View bonus footage of the *Disney High School Musical* cast by clicking any of the exclusive content options.

Sing Along with HSM Sing It!



It's all about song for members of East High's drama club. Here's how you can keep up with the band.

LYRICS

Song lyrics will appear on the screen – sing in time for the best score.

OVERALL SCORE

The singer's total score for the song.

CURRENT MULTIPLIER

Sing phrases flawlessly and earn score multipliers!

CURRENT PHRASE SCORE

The singer's score for the current phrase.

DESIRED PITCH

Where the singer's voice *should* be. The higher the bar, the higher the desired pitch.

CURRENT PITCH

Where the singer's voice *actually* is. The closer it is to the desired pitch, the higher the singer's score.

PERFORMANCE METER

More stars mean better singing. How many stars can you light up?

VOICE LESSONS

It's time to switch off those cell phones and *get'cha head in the game!* With a little practice you'll feel like you can *bop to the top* in no time!

MICROPHONE USE

Position the microphone an inch or so from your mouth and try to keep it there throughout your performance. You can adjust the microphone's sensitivity in the Options Menu.

PITCH

Keep an eye on the pitch meter when you are on stage. The basketball shows you the actual pitch of your voice as you're singing, going up and down the pitch indicator. If it goes down, you should try to sing higher; if it goes too high, you need to lower your pitch. Try to keep the basketball on the actual pitch lines to sing the words accurately!

CADENCE

Don't rush through the lyrics – and don't take too long singing them, either. Try to voice the words just as they cross under the pitch meter.

PHRASES

Songs are divided into phrases (or pieces of song) that are several words long. If you sing a phrase well, without any mistakes in pitch or cadence, you will earn score multipliers. Try to put together consecutive winning phrases to earn multiple multipliers.

LONG NOTES

Some notes need to be held longer than others. For these, try to voice the note with a vowel sound rather than a consonant sound. The microphone is much better at picking up vowel sounds. However, you can't hold a long note for very long if you don't have enough breath to sing it. So, in addition to practicing how to sing in pitch and how to sing in rhythm, you will also need to practice how and when to breathe. Whew!

PRACTICE

Practice makes perfect. Work hard and your delivery will be that much smoother!

And remember: you can always visit Quick Play for more practice with songs you've already unlocked.

SCORING

Scoring couldn't be simpler. Sing in pitch with the music and sing in time with the lyrics to earn maximum points. Phrases sung in time and in pretty good pitch earn score multipliers. Phrases sung in perfect and almost-perfect pitch earn the highest multipliers. In addition to the overall score, the final score screen shows you the letter grade given for your performance.



QUICK PLAY

Perfect for a quick song (or three), Quick Play offers all the excitement of life on the East High stage in a smaller, quicker package!



To get started, select a player profile (see Profile, under Extras, to learn more about creating a profile), choose a song, a stage, and a duet partner and then hit “Go!” to hit the stage. You can also play alone if you want to!

To preview a song, highlight it on the list, and then press the **X** button. You can also preview stages the same way.

STORY MODE

Sing alone or sing with a friend as you follow the story of *Disney High School Musical* – from Troy and Gabriella’s first new year’s eve duet to the entire cast’s awesome finale in the East High School gym. If you perform the songs well, you’ll unlock more songs to sing, more environments to sing in, more characters to sing along with and more outfits in which to dress them.

The game will choose a song and a stage for you, depending on where you are in the story.

PARTY MODE

Challenge your friends to a “sing off” in Party Mode or just get together and sing your favorite songs from Disney’s hit *High School Musical* movies and stage productions. You can sing alone or as part of a duet. Up to eight players can join Party Mode.



New players can join the game between rounds, and others can leave without ending the game for everybody else. And if anybody needs a break, singers can skip a turn if they like, too.

I don't
Dance!

CHARACTER SELECTION

Each player can select a favorite East High Drama Club singer to perform with and then dress them in their favorite outfits and styles. If you sing well enough, you will unlock more characters and more outfits.



Players joining the game late will also get a chance to choose a profile and character.

DUETS

When you sing with a friend, his or her score and indicators such as pitch bars and lyrics are kept on the top half of the screen. Duets are available in Party Mode, Quick Play Mode, and in Story Mode, too.

Duets work best with two microphones, but singers can also share a single microphone and pass it back and forth as each singer performs his or her part of the song.

AUDIENCE

Singers waiting for their next turn at the microphone can create special sound effects on stage with their DUALSHOCK®2 analog controllers.

Use **directional buttons** ← and → to select an instrument for your sound effects. Trigger effects with the **R1**, **R2**, **L1**, and **L2** buttons.

PROFILE

Choose one of your favorite *Disney High School Musical* characters and then customize him or her to create your own personal profile. Your profile stores your progress through the game and your top scores, too. After you come up with a great name, use **directional buttons** ← and → to cycle through outfits and accessories and select with the **X** button.

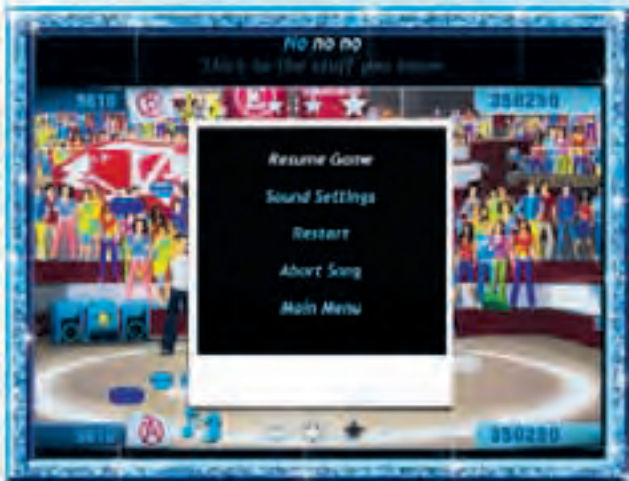
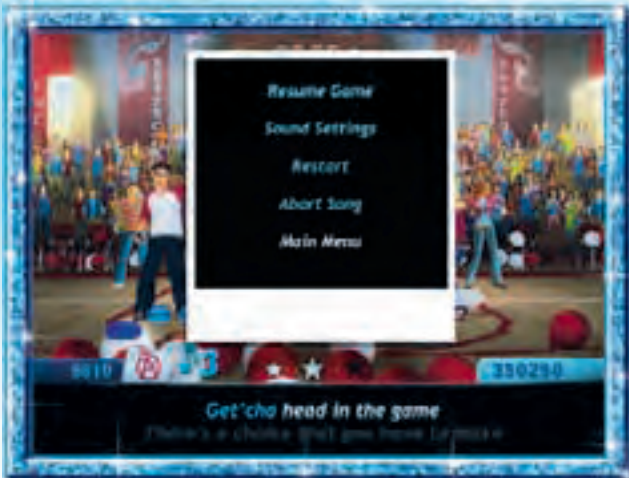


Now you're ready to hit the stage!

As you sing more songs, you will unlock more outfits and accessories for your profile character to wear.

TAKE FIVE

If your voice needs a break, press the **START** button to open the Pause Menu. Select RESUME to return to the show, or select Main Menu to the Main Menu. Select Sound Settings to adjust sound and microphone settings.



Extras

OPTIONS



FILE SETTINGS

Disney High School Musical: Sing It! will save your progress automatically, but you can turn this feature off if you like. If you do switch Auto Save to OFF, remember to return to this menu to save your progress manually.

SOUND SETTINGS

Highlight an option with the **directional buttons** **↑** and **↓** and choose it by pressing the **⊗** button. Then use the sliders to adjust Player Volume (That's you!), Character Volume, Microphone Sensitivity, Music Volume, and Crowd/Sound Effects volume.

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UNLOCKED GOODIES

If you're curious about how many more songs and stages and characters and outfits you can still unlock, this is where to look! And if you need some advice about how to unlock something you haven't been able to unlock, this is where to look, too!



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